CHAPTER 134.

TRANSFER OF STATE CERTIFICATES FOR PURE BRED STALLIONS.

S. F. 88.

AN ACT to repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-d (2341-d) of the supplement to the code, 1907, and to enact a substitute therefor, relative to the transfer of state certificates for pure bred stallions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Repeal—transfer of certificate—fee. That section twenty-three hundred forty-one-d (2341-d) of the supplement to the code, 1907, be and the

same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"When the owner of any registered stallion shall sell, exchange or transfer the same, he shall file said certificate, accompanying the same with a fee of fifty cents, with the secretary of the state board of agriculture, who shall upon receipt of the state certificate properly transferred, and upon the payment of the required fee, issue a new certificate to the then new owner of the animal. All fees provided by this act shall go into the treasury of the department of agriculture."

Approved February 23, A. D. 1909.

CHAPTER 135.

LIEN UPON PROGENY OF STALLIONS FOR SERVICE FEE.

H. F. 126.

AN ACT providing that owners or keepers of stallions shall have a lien upon the progeny of any such animal for the service fee thereof. [Additional to chapter three (3) of title twelve (XII) of the code, relating to domestic animals.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- Section 1. Lien. The owner or keeper of a stallion kept for public services who has complied with sections twenty-three hundred and forty-one-a (2341-a), twenty-three hundred and forty-one-b (2341-b), twenty-three hundred and forty-one-c (2341-c) and twenty-three hundred and forty-one-d (2341-d) of the supplement to the code, 1907, shall have a prior lien upon the progeny of such stallion to secure the amount due such owner or keeper for the service of such stallion, resulting in said progeny, provided, that where such owner or keeper misrepresents such stallion by false pedigree no lien shall be obtained.
- SEC. 2. Limitation of lien. The lien herein provided for shall remain in force for a period of six months from the birth of said progeny and shall not be enforced thereafter.
- Sec. 3. Enforcement—procedure. The owner or keeper of such stallion may enforce the lien herein provided by placing in the hands of any constable an affidavit containing a description of the stallion and a description of the dam and the time and terms of service, and said constable shall thereupon take possession of said progeny and sell the same for non-payment of service fee by giving the owner of said progeny ten (10) days written notice, which notice shall contain a copy of the affidavit and a full description of the progeny to be sold, the time and hour when, and the place at which the sale will take place, and posting for the same length of time in three public places in the township of such owner's residence a copy of such notice. If payment of the service fee and the costs are not made before the date thus fixed, the constable may sell at public auction to the highest bidder such progeny and the owner or keeper of the stallion may be a bidder at such sale. The constable shall